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Mr. John Knoche  
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Dear Mr. Knoche:

I note from a recent news article that the Reader's Digest is carrying a condensation of the book, "Murder of a Gentle Land," written by John Barron and Anthony Paul. The authors contend that the new government of Cambodia has executed more than one million people since April of 1975.

I would appreciate very much being furnished, either in writing or through a personal briefing, what our intelligence is on this subject.

With thanks for your assistance, I am

Sincerely,

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